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## MOVING IN . . .



HOME—of sorts—is this nice home that Rankin last as new families move to town. This is the Stacy home that has now been permanently located on 8th and Kilborn Streets. Three others, of similar size, have been or will be moved.

## Home Mat Out --

## PEL MEETING SEPTEMBER 13-19

at the Northside Baptist Church, located on N. 1st St. in Rankin, this week. The meeting will be held on Monday, September 13, and will run through September 19. Services are to be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday. Those who are unable to attend and work on time. The

evening meetings will be at 7:30 p.m., except the one on Friday, September 17 which will be moved up to 6:30 p.m. so that there will be time for those who have duties at the football game to attend the service.

Evangelist for the series is to be Robert Gregg, minister of a church in Apache, Oklahoma and the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gregg of Rankin. He preached in a gospel meeting here in 1963 and was warmly received.

The church membership has extended their welcome to everyone and has indicated that they are looking forward to an inspiring meeting with good turn-outs.



ROBERT GREGG  
... evangelist

## KICKOFF TIME IS 8 P.M.--OVER THERE

# Red Devils Test McCamey Friday Nite in Badgerville

Friday night, the Rankin Red Devils will hitch up their spirits and head for Badgerland in McCamey. It promises to be a all-out effort by both ball clubs.

Last week, Rankin lost to Coahoma while McCamey took a 14-12 win over Ozona. This will be the second game of the season for both the clubs.

In their encounter with the 5th ranking Coahoma team, the Red Devils gave a good account for themselves despite the score. Coahoma never was able to mount a sustained drive against the local club and scored all three of their tallies following Red Devil misques with the ball—taking over twice deep inside Rankin territory when the Devils failed to get the first down on fourth down efforts. Rankin scored once but had the ball called back due to a fractured rule.

For McCamey, it was a somewhat better effort than most reports indicated. The Badgers did make more than three first downs. In fact, according to the scouting reports from the Red Devil camp, McCamey had more yardage than did the Ozona Lions. They had good efforts from all their backs and their linemen were looking for someone to hit. Their passing was not strong but this may be changed in the Friday night contest.

dict.

Friday will mark the fourth meeting of the current series between the Badgers and the Red Devils with McCamey currently holding a perfect record. They won in 1962 before a homecoming

gathering, 26-12, shelled the Red Devils 42-20 in 1963 when their clock went haywire, and won last year by a one-point margin of 7-6.

However, despite the fact that they have not been able to get on the win side of the ledger against the 2AA Badgers, all of the games have been well contested between the two teams and fans are expecting the rivalry to be spirited on Friday night. Both clubs have inexperienced players in key positions but both have indicated a strong desire to play hard.

In a passing note on last Friday's game with the Coahoma Bulldogs, it should be noted that both the Rankin players and the coaching staff were high on their praise for the sportsmanship displayed by the visiting team. The boys reported that the Coahoma team came to play ball and did not participate in any unnecessary roughness.

For the Badgers, there will be seven seniors leading the charge. Five juniors are listed with the remainder of the club sprinkled heavily with sophomores and only two freshmen. Weight-wise, the Badger backfield is not heavy with senior halfback Ridgley Holfield at 168 pounds being the biggest man. For the line the team will have the services of 197 lb. senior Steve Bowman.

Following is the line-up for the Badgers as played against the Ozona Lions last week.

10 Smith	Sr. QB	128
11 Moody	Sr. FB	155
12 Holfield	Sr. HB	168
13 Pina	Jr. HB	132
14 Thornton	So. QB	128
20 Casillas	So. HB	130
22 Nobles	Jr. HB	140
25 Jeter	Jr. QB	160
32 Gaudio	So. FB	145
40 Harris	So. HB	162
50 Molina	Sr. T	178
51 Grigsby	Jr. C	150
52 Martinez	So. C	150
60 Brennan	Sr. G	150
61 Fuentez	So. G	155
62 Carlton	So. G	145
63 Holgun	Jr. G	155
65 Villegas	So. G	140
70 Bowman	Sr. T	197
71 McKee	Fr. T	145
73 Craft	So. T	201
McKee	So. T	165
75 Robbins	Fr. T	203
80 Carrasco	Fr. E	135
81 Villegas	So. E	138
83 Bankston	So. E	150
84 Smith	Sr. E	171
85 Myers	Sr. E	

## THEY'RE NEW IN RISD

A column to introduce the new teachers of the Rankin Independent School faculty.



RAY SKIDMORE  
... teacher/coach

Mr. Ray Skidmore, in his first year in the Rankin system, has a dual-duty position. He teaches Algebra in high school and coaches Junior High athletics. Skidmore is 42 years old and was employed last year in the Albuquerque, New Mexico school system.

He is a native of Grapeland, Texas and holds both a BA and a Masters degree from Hardin Simmons University in Abilene. He also did some of his schooling at the University of New Mexico.

The Skidmore family consists of his wife and two daughters. One daughter is a junior in Rankin High School and the other is attending college.

As a coach, Skidmore has been impressed with the fine spirit of the boys. In commenting on his Junior High charges, he pointed out that they will have a very light-weight cut and will have to adjust their training accordingly. Prior to the opening of school, he worked two weeks with the other coaches on the high school team.

## Tuesday Election Draws Iight Interest in Upton County

Upton County followed the trend in the state for the small population areas and voted approval of the proposed amendment to the state constitution last Thursday. The measure to increase the state senate from the present 31 members to 39 carried in Upton County 124-88.

It was defeated by some 60-40 percent on a state-wide basis.

With a total of 212 votes cast out of a possible 1300, the Upton County light turn-out also followed the state trend. By boxes, the following results were unofficially tabulated for the county:

- Box 1 (a strict husband and wife vote) 26 for; 26 against.
- Box 2: 12 for; 8 against
- Box 3: 5 for; 0 against
- Box 4: 32 for; 25 against
- Box 5: 6 for; 9 against
- Box 6: 44 for; 19 against

## Plans for Dam Discussed at Nite Meet

The Club has extended an invitation to the public to a meeting next Monday, September 13 at which time a procedure in securing a possible dam site on the Brazos River will be discussed. This project is being talked in Rankin. Federal assistance for the project series makes it possible at the project series program has just been held at Bronte which is a natural water shed in the Rankin area.

The evening will be held at the Dub Day who will be the steps that must be taken to get such a dam built. (See Back Page)



# THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

## SHORT SNORT—

If "The Scoop" seems somewhat abbreviated this week, it will be because an event many of you have long suspected has now come to pass: The Scoop has been out in the sun too long. The ole noggin has been fried—brown—and well done.

As has been the custom since Noah lost his glasses and ran the ark up on the beach, some of us have exited down to Del Rio each Labor Day and participated in the big Labor Day golf tournament. This time, P. V. Brown and the editor made the trip. And we waxed those children for sure, too. For a goodly number of seasons the Border City stick and swatt boys have had sport using West Texas golfers to lather the skids while they skipped merrily along to the winner's table and all the goodies. But this time, we took 'em in. Brown lost his first match then won three straight while The Scoop got on good terms with Lady Luck and had a four-game winning streak. It was a ball.

But not before the sun took a

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bite out of my thick head. And it took the combined efforts of a full Colonel in the U. S. Air Force, the Del Rio Chamber of Commerce, some kind hearted soul with a golf cart, the Good Humor man and some three-putting by the opposition to keep me in the game. And though these efforts prevailed, proving that the milk of human kindness can put cream over the sun spots, it was not without a price. This week, for some reason, I ain't mad at nobody.

So you will find this column to be short and you also learn that there's a good bit about sun radiation that we don't, as yet, understand.

## WHY BOTHER—

Editorial columns and an assortment of commentaries have graced the pages of newspapers large and small since the beginning of the profession. And it's quite possible that the question

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## THE GIRLS



"There! Now if people confuse you with Elizabeth Taylor, it's your own fault."

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From Preceding Page)

in the mind of  
er and the editor:  
Of what benefit  
column?

as a good many words  
written on both sides but  
the personality of a  
News is news. There  
that can be done  
it. You try hard  
facts and you try to  
in an orderly man-

editorial column is  
is as flexible as the  
who write it. It can  
all its own. And for  
any newspaper with-  
and an editorial  
worth the paper it

er hand, an editorial  
something that ought  
people into a one-

track type of thinking. It should  
be an opinion and as such ought  
to be offered with no strings at-  
tached. You can agree or you can  
disagree. If it makes the reader  
consider the problem it approach-  
es—even briefly—then the mission  
is fulfilled.

Certainly no editorial writer is  
right all the time. But he will be  
right once in a while. And when  
he is right and speaks out in sup-  
port of a good idea or in opposi-  
tion of a bad one, the final prod-  
uct has been refined just a little  
smoother.

I wouldn't think of putting out  
a newspaper without a heart. An  
editorial page or column is that  
heart.

The man who enters a cage of  
ferocious lions impresses everyone  
but a school bus driver.

"People are saying that you and  
your husband are not getting on  
very well."

"Nonsense! We did have some  
words and I shot him, but that  
is as far as it went."

One teacher to another: "Not  
only is he the worst-behaved child  
in school, but he has a perfect  
attendance record."

Engineers calculate the numb-  
er of blasts that will come from  
auto horns in a traffic jam is  
equal to the sum of the squares  
at the wheels.

Little Johnny plunked a handful  
of mud into his sister's mouth.  
His mother was horrified. "Why  
in the world," she demanded, "did  
you put mud in Janie's mouth?"

Johnny shrugged. "Well," he  
replied, "it was open."

A speaker was lecturing on  
forest preserves. "I don't suppose  
there's a person in the house who  
has done a single thing to conser-  
ve our timber resources?" he in-  
quired.

A meek voice from the rear of  
the hall timidly retorted: "I  
once shot a woodpecker."

To get the best of an argu-  
ment, keep out of it.

## Holiday is Standard for Upton County

And again. While the state and  
nation counted their traffic acci-  
dent fatalities over the Labor Day  
week-end, Upton County made it  
through the holiday without any  
such activity being reported. In  
fact, according to Sheriff H. E.  
"Gene" Eckols, there wasn't en-  
ough action of any kind to kick  
up a dust storm. He reported the  
things were very calm and that  
a local rodeo had to use contes-  
tants as spectators.

Upton County has not had any  
fatal holiday traffic accidents in  
such a long period of time that  
no records can be found to indi-  
cate when the last such mishap  
might have occurred.

"I just hope it stays that way,"  
the Sheriff said.

## UCHS Slates Meet for Thursday Night

Announcement has been made  
that the Upton County Historical  
Society will meet Thursday, Sep-  
tember 9 at 7:00 p.m. in McCamey.  
Arland Rowland will give a re-

port on Ben Ficklin.  
All persons interested are in-  
vited to attend.

## NOTICE PLEASE

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WE WILL BE  
CLOSED

FRIDAY NITE  
for the  
Rankin-McCm'y  
Football Game

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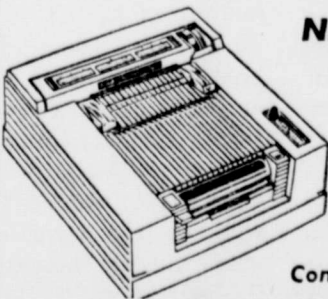


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## HOSPITAL NOTES

Marjorie Finley, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Finley of McCamey, admitted on September 2 and dismissed September 3.

Mrs. R. M. Geldard, Sr., of McCamey, admitted September 3 and transferred to Odessa hospital on September 4.

Mrs. W. D. Poyner of Midkiff, admitted September 4 and dismissed September 6.

Mrs. Doris West of Big Lake, admitted September 4.

Vickie Autrey, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Autrey of Rankin, admitted September 6 and dismissed September 7.

Mrs. D. A. Daniel of Iraan, admitted September 6.

Mr. E. F. Matejowsky of McCamey, admitted September 6.

Mr. Claudia Balza of McCamey admitted September 7.

Mrs. S. M. Galindo of Sheffield, admitted September 8.

Mrs. E. M. Stanley of Rankin, admitted August 30.



## BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Daniel of Iraan at 3:54 p. m. on September 6, a daughter weighing 5 lbs., 2 ozs. and named Melissa Ann.

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## School Menu

SEPTEMBER 13-17

### MONDAY

Celery Sticks, Meat Loaf, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Chocolate Cake

### TUESDAY

Tarter Sauce, Catsup, Salmon Croquettes, Blackeyed Peas, Buttered Hominy, Corn Bread, Lemon Cream Pie

### WEDNESDAY

Lettuce, French Dressing, Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Light Bread, Crackers, Canned Fruit

### THURSDAY

Tossed Salad Hot Dogs, Potato Chips, Pork and Beans, Peanut Butter Cookies

### FRIDAY

Cantaloupe, Steak Fingers, Creamed Gravy, Green Beans, Pear Halves

Fresh Milk and Butter served with each meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson and Miss Grace Roach visited in Central Texas over the week-end.

## HINTS for the HOMEMAKER

By Mrs. Louie S. Jeffers, County Home Demo. Agent

### NEW CONCEPTS IN BONDED FABRICS

American Fabrics gives us information on the latest developments in bonding of fabrics. In the trade language the term laminate indicates a face fabric adhered to polyurethane foam for insulation. Bonding refers to two fabrics put together with an adhesive, this may be polyurethane foam or a wet adhesive. The wet adhesive is more widely used. It is a liquid form of acrylics, one of our basic fiber families.

Much research and development is devoted currently to finishing processes rather than fibers or constructions, and thus is bonding. Bonding takes two ordinary fabrics and changes them into a very different fabric. To change a basic fabric and create many more end uses for it makes the production of this fabric more economical.

Tricot is the fiber generally used as the lining or back fabric in bonding. Acetate has been the most widely used, but the demand for washable bonded fabrics has brought nylon to the front of the picture. Some companies have developed special tricot fabrics for bonding. "Certifab" developed by the Collins and Aikman Company is one of these. It carries the seal of the Nationwide Consumer Testing Institute. This tricot is developed especially to not fade from the gases in the atmosphere, to be dry cleanable, to be washable to not be faded by perspiration, to not change color

under heat which is used to cure the end of the fabric and to not run off on an adjacent fabric—wet or dry.

The tricot plus the bonding agent makes a single knit fabric very similar to a double knit, but for a more economical price. The bonded fabric would run about \$1.50 per yard (60" width) lower in cost than the double knit. Another advantage of bonding a single knit fabric is to prevent the edges from rolling up. Tricot knit is run proof, non-raveling, can be pleated by heat setting, and has good drapability.

Bonding has made possible the use of fabrics too unstable for garment construction. It makes a separate lining unnecessary in some garments, it gives "skin-side comfort," it changes the look and feel of some fabrics.

Improved wrinkle resistance and wash wear performance (in nylon only) are provided by bonding. The ability to bounce back or return to their original shape when stretched is improved.

Bonding is a relatively new concept which can open many new areas in the field of clothing. It's a complicated, tricky process which must be done under rigid controls and specifications. Many manufacturers will keep their standards high to produce quality bonded fabrics. Many will not and there will be many unsatisfactory bonded fabrics on the market.

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McCAMEY  
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# RHS



# 4th AND 10

## ON YOUR OWN TWO

\* Being a Column Dedicated to the Proposition that only a Nut would try to predict Football Scores in Advance.

Well, ole Fourth and 10, along with the Red Devils, took a few lumps last week, picking three and missing three. But that's not too bad for openers and Rankin's efforts against the Coahoma Bulldogs were not bad either—and a heck of a lot better than ole Big Lake did with Alpine. The Devils ought to be feeling a lot better about their chances in district along about now.

For one thing, it was pretty well agreed among local fans before last week's game that if the Red Devils could hold the Bulldogs to

a score of something like 20-6, it would be a good showing against the veteran team. And, despite the fact that Rankin's score was called back, they did make the touchdown and for all practical purposes hit the 20.6 mark right on the button.

On the other hand, there had been rumors that Big Lake was highly overrated this year. And if they can't contain a team like Alpine—and Alpine is good but not great—then they are indeed, not going to make the horse race some were expecting out of District 8.A. In fact, it's interesting to note that the Owls are conceding that there are three or four other teams in the district this year.

On the other game missed by 4th and 10, the McCamey-Ozona, tilt, that's not to surprising. For some reason, this game is always a close one and doesn't shed a lot of light on the abilities of either ball club.

And so, to the business at hand, picking this week's results. And it might as well be admitted here and now that 4th and 10 is highly prejudiced in favor of the Red Devils and will usually pick them when common sense would say all odds were in their opponent's favor. They don't win nearly as many times as they are picked by this column but on the other hand, it's precious few times that they have been a disappointment even when they lost. Year in and year out and game for game, a guy would be missing the winning side when he deserted the Red Devils for even a short while.

**RANKIN 14, McCamey 8.** And here again this week, the Badgers may turn out to be a little tougher than they figure. But then the Red Devils will be over their first-game jitters and will be an improved ball club, too.

**BIG LAKE 18, Stanton 6.** The Owls may be pretty weak this year but not so weak that Stanton is likely to thump them.

**SONORA—Open**

**JUNCTION 12, Rocksprings 8.** Junction may not be the sop they were last year and they will want very much to win this one.

**ROBERT LEE 18, Menard 14.** Menard is another district member that ought to be improved but Robert Lee plays a pretty tough brand of football and ought to take this one. And in addition, former Rankinite Clifford Wilson is on the Robert Lee coaching staff and still seems like home-folk.

**IRAAN 28, Grandfalls 0.** Braves are still likely fired up from last year and although they don't look like district contenders from this corner, they can and will be a bunch of toughies.

**ELDORADO 24, Eden 6.** Eldorado is another team that doesn't like to get it twice in a row and will be out to wham the day-lights out of little Eden.

**OZONA 20, Bronte 8.** The Lions are going to win some games this year and they will likely be ready to start with Bronte. That deal with McCamey beating them and only having 3 first downs probably made the Ozona Lion a pretty

sore-tailed sort of critter.

**ALPINE 44, Sanderson 6.** Good-bye Sanderson. You may think another flood has hit.

And that's it.

Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Holmes are in the process of moving to San Antonio in connection with his work with a railroad that has operations out of the Alamo city.

The Rankin (Tex) Thursday, Sept.

Mr. and Mrs. Hap with relatives in over the Labor Day

Mr. and Mrs. Dunc ed in the Houston the Labor Day week



FACULTY MEMBERS of Rankin Independent District talk over prospects of the coming year annual "School Family Barbecue" held recently at Norman Elrod Ranch east of Rankin.

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### School Personnel Attend Barbecue

New school personnel were the guests of honor at a get-acquainted barbecue Monday, August 30, at 7:00 p.m. at the Elrod Ranch. The twelve new employees and their husbands or wives were the guests of the returning school personnel and school administration. President of the Board of Trustees, Dr. James D. Gossett, gave a brief welcome address to the new members and added the administration's appreciation to the returning school folk while asking for the continued efforts of all in maintaining and improving the standards of the Rankin Schools.

There were seventy-eight persons in attendance.

### Clara Mills Chapter Observation Night

Omicron Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi opened their new year with a "Come-as-you-are" breakfast recently. The event was held in the home of social chairman, Mrs. Jerry Barton, Saturday a.m., August 28.

Fourteen members and pledges attended.

Table decor carried out the new year's theme of the organization: "Crown Every Moment."

Plans were discussed and made for the activities of the coming year.

Summertime tomato and reports are very favorable. The Summertime tomato will do a lot to eliminate the gap between spring and fall tomatoes.

### Study Club Opens Years Work Sept. 18

Members of Rankin Study Club are reminded of the opening date of Saturday, September 18. The president's coffee will be held on that day at 10:00 a.m. at the Rankin Park Building and will be the opening ceremony for the 1896-1966 club year.

Hostesses will be Mrs. W. O. Adams, president, and Mrs. Shirley Little, first vice-president.

Among other important dates to be observed by the club in addition to their regular meeting days will be the State Board Meeting in Austin, October 3, 4, and 5; the Western District Board Meeting in McCamey, October 23; The Texas State Convention in Lubbock, May 9, 10 and 11, 1966; and the General Federation Convention in Chicago, Ill., June 6-10, 1966.

### Omicron Tau Opens Season with Party

A regular meeting of the Clara Mills Chapter, No. 1032, Order of the Eastern Star, is slated for Monday, September 13. The chapter is composed of members in the Midkiff area.

Observation Night will be held. An appropriate program is to be presented.

All OES members are urged to attend.

### LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

In their first week of action in non-conference play, District 8-A found the going pretty rough with only Sonora able to come up with a win. Three teams, Iraan, Junction and Menard were open.

Following is how it went:  
Coahoma 20 - Rankin 0

- McCamey 14 - Ozona 12
- Alpine 41 - Big Lake 8
- Marfa 33 - Sanderson 0
- Crane 25 - Edorado 0
- Sonora 22 - Mason 0.

This gives the District a total point output of only 42 while the opposition chalked up a whopping 133.

With nine teams in the District, each club plays only two games outside.

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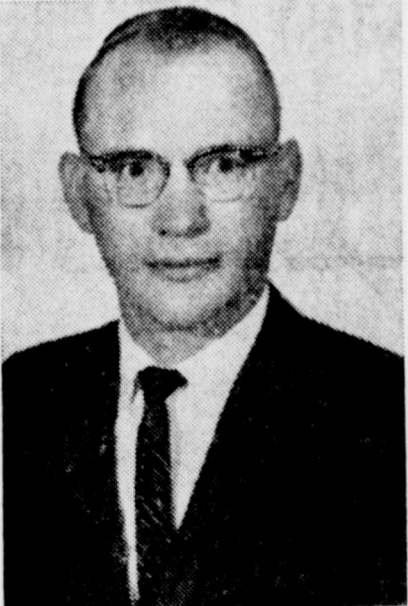
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